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Amendment mailed October 7, 2004; Amendment originally
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Attention: Ms. Crystal Queen, Legal Instruments Examiner (LIE)

Dear Madam:

Re: United States Patent Application No. 09/831,966

Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ANALYZING A BIOLOGIC SAMPLE
Filing Date: September 5, 2001
Applicant: Peter Lea
Examiner: Samuel P. Siefke
Our Ref.: 874-34/AMK

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37CFR 1.121 dated October 7, 2004, we enclose a modified Amendment that was originally submitted on September 21, 2004.

Yours very truly,

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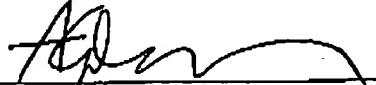
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Official Action
Dated: May 21, 2004

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Dear Sir:

Please amend this application as follows: